



Docket No.: 1344.1120

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Takafumi TERAHARA, et al.

Serial No. 10/606,935

Group Art Unit: 2613

Confirmation No. 4453

Filed: June 27, 2003

Examiner: Shi K. LI

For: WAVELENGTH DIVISION MULTIPLEXING OPTICAL TRANSMISSION SYSTEM, AND
WAVELENGTH DIVISION MULTIPLEXING OPTICAL TRANSMISSION METHOD

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: **BOX AF**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed August 2, 2007, and having a period for response set to expire on November 2, 2007. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to December 2, 2007 which being a Sunday renders this response timely filed on Monday, December 3, 2007. A Request for Continued Examination is filed concurrently.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.

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